

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s)	Kramer, et al.	Examiner	Victor S. Chang
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**RESPONSE TO NOVEMBER 28, 2006 OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims:** Begin on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments:** Begin on page 6.